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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Toyokazu SAKATA et al.

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REDUCED INTERCONNECTION
CAPACITY (as amended)

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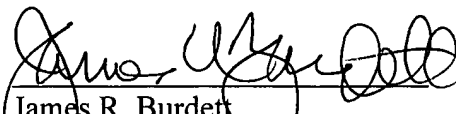
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Sir:

The undersigned request the status of the 312 Amendment filed on April 16, 2004 in the
above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

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